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DECISION AND ORDER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Supplemental Order

Name of Petitioner: Crude Oil Supplemental Refund Distribution

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Case Numbers: RB272-10162

This decision grants supplemental crude oil refunds. The names of the recipients and the amount of the refunds are listed in the Appendix to this decision.

This supplemental refund decision concerns the crude oil overcharge refund proceeding. Pursuant to the long-standing policy of the Department of Energy (DOE), thousands of purchasers of petroleum products have applied for, and been granted, refunds from crude oil overcharge funds under the jurisdiction of the DOE's Office of Hearings and Appeals (OHA). *See* Modified Statement of Restitutionary Policy In Crude Oil Cases, 51 Fed. Reg. 27899 (August 4, 1986). The standards for considering Applications for Refund from these crude oil funds are set forth at 10 C.F.R. Part 205, Subpart V. The deadline for applications in the crude oil proceeding was June 30, 1995.

The OHA has approved more than 87,000 crude oil overcharge refund applications. A claimant is generally eligible for a refund equal to the number of gallons of eligible refined petroleum products it purchased during the period August 19, 1973 through January 27, 1981, multiplied by a per gallon refund amount. That per gallon refund amount, also referred to as the volumetric, is derived by dividing the total refund monies available by the total U.S. consumption of petroleum products during the crude oil price control period. Originally, the DOE calculated refunds at a \$0.0002 per gallon volumetric. In 1989, the DOE increased the volumetric to \$0.0008 per gallon, and applicants paid at the lower \$0.0002 per gallon rate were eligible for a \$0.0006 per gallon supplemental payment. *See* Crude Oil Supplemental Refund Distribution, 18 DOE \$85,878 (1989). In 1995, the DOE increased the volumetric to \$0.0016 per gallon, and applicants paid at the lower \$0.0008 per gallon rate were eligible for a \$0.0008 per gallon supplemental payment.

On January 13, 2006, the DOE announced that applicants paid at the lower \$0.0016 per gallon rate were eligible for an additional \$0.000695389 per gallon supplemental refund. 71 Fed. Reg. 2195 (January 13, 2006). In order to receive this supplemental refund check, applicants were required to verify that their name and address in our records was correct, to correct any information that was not accurate, and to verify whether the refund

could not be paid to the original applicant for any reason, e.g., due to death, divorce, bankruptcy or dissolution of a business.

On August 20, 2007, the DOE announced that a final additional \$0.000083748502302897 per gallon refund would be paid to all applicants who had been found eligible for the \$0.000695389 per gallon supplemental refund announced on January 13, 2006. 72 Fed. Reg. 46461 (August 20, 2007). We have not yet ordered the payment of the \$0.000695389 per gallon supplemental refund to the applicants listed in Appendix A to this decision. Therefore, this decision approves final supplemental refunds of \$0.000779137502302897 per gallon to these applicants. For those applicants, listed in Appendix B, to whom we have previously ordered the payment of the \$0.000695389 per gallon supplemental refund, this decision approves final supplemental refunds of \$0.000083748502302897 per gallon. Refunds are rounded to the nearest dollar. For each applicant, the Appendices contain the name, case number, and the amount of the supplemental refund. The decision approves supplemental refunds for 118 applicants, totaling \$101,668.00.

It Is Therefore Ordered That:

- (1) The Director of Special Accounts and Payroll, Office of Departmental Accounting and Financial Systems Development, Office of the Controller of the Department of Energy shall take appropriate action to disburse the supplemental refunds set forth in the Appendices to this Order.
- (2) The funds shall be disbursed from the escrow fund denominated Crude Tracking-Claimants 4, Account No. 999DOE010Z, maintained at the Department of the Treasury.
- (3) Applicants shall notify the Office of Hearings and Appeals in the event that there is a change of address, or if an address correction is necessary. Such notification shall be sent to:

Director of Management Information Office of Hearings and Appeals Department of Energy 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20585-0107

- (4) Any conditions imposed that applied to an applicant's receipt of the initial crude oil refund shall also apply to that applicant's receipt of this supplemental refund.
- (5) The determinations made in this Decision and Order are based upon the presumed validity of the statements and documentary material submitted by the applicants. This Decision and Order may be revoked or modified at any time upon a determination that the basis underlying a refund application is incorrect.

(6) This is a final Order of the Department of Energy.

Poli A. Marmolejos Director Office of Hearings and Appeals

Date: February 12, 2008

Appendix A - Supplemental Refund Case No. RB272-10162

Case No.	Firm	Volume	Refund
RF272-00409	RAYTHEON CO.	39,340,461	\$30,652.00
RF272-25380	NORTH AMERICAN PHILIPS LIGHTNG	15,529,004	\$12,099.00
RF272-33086	Joanne E. Kibbee	151,101	\$118.00
RF272-37055	CITY OF NILES	730,306	\$569.00
RF272-50417	PROGRESSO QUALITY FOODS	8,883,400	\$6,921.00
RF272-55222	Fred P. Langschwager	2,001,672	\$1,560.00
RF272-63568	Kay Ross	353,790	\$276.00
RF272-63875	THE HAMILTON CO.	13,082,276	\$10,193.00
RF272-70374	EUGENE FANUCCHI	528,360	\$412.00
RF272-72837	William P. Wallace	542,840	\$423.00
RF272-86670	CITY OF DORAVILLE	386,880	\$301.00
RF272-97746	PULLMAN SCHOOL DIST.	211,132	\$165.00
RF272-98646	Lafarge North America	22,823,136	\$17,782.00
RG272-01144	Kenneth Bittner	223,772	\$174.00
RG272-01145	Angelo Fanucchi	528,360	\$412.00
RG272-01146	Phillip J. Traxler	1,034,543	\$806.00
RG272-01147	Jolene M. Crowley	1,034,543	\$806.00
RG272-01148	Robert L. Wallace	542,840	\$423.00
RG272-01149	Kathleen Ross	353,790	\$276.00
RG272-01150	John H. Langschwager	2,001,672	\$1,560.00
RG272-01151	James L. Rogers	242,537	\$189.00
RG272-01152	Melissa Jessie	242,537	\$189.00
RG272-01153	Glenn A. Ophus	151,101	\$118.00
RG272-01154	Gary L. Ophus	151,101	\$118.00
RK272-02534	Gerald P. Traxler	1,034,543	\$806.00
RK272-03084	Priscilla Rogers	242,537	\$189.00
Totals	26 Applicants	112,348,234	\$87,537.00

Appendix B - Supplemental Refund Case No. RB272-10162

Case No.	Firm	Volume	Refund
RF272-05642	MAXINE BRISTOL	45,000	\$4.00
RF272-14117	KEITH COBLE	55,080	\$5.00
RF272-15175	EADINGTON FRUIT CO.	708,288	\$59.00
RF272-15840	MELVIN F. WASSERMAN	763,962	\$64.00
RF272-17103	HAROLD DELIMONT	34,463	\$3.00
RF272-18602	KENNETH R. STARK	34,916	\$3.00
RF272-20322	MITCH BUCKLEY	61,108	\$5.00
RF272-20646	DONALD BLOMME	44,640	\$4.00
RF272-20647	ROBERT E. BLOMME	44,640	\$4.00
RF272-22411	KLAUS GALINSKY	48,973	\$4.00
RF272-23614	Clyde Franklin Collier Revocable Trust	2,744,616	\$230.00
RF272-24448	MELVIN VANDERHEIDEN	30,720	\$3.00
RF272-25418	FLOYD MYERS	47,282	\$4.00
RF272-25748	JAMES H. JOHN	221,340	\$19.00
RF272-26564	ELDON VANDERHEIDEN	27,063	\$2.00
RF272-31352	W.A. SWISHER	24,828	\$2.00
RF272-31496	Victoria Henry & Judy Boudreaux	55,363	\$5.00
RF272-35606	MAZIE L. CAPE	24,828	\$2.00
RF272-35629	ORACLE RIDGE MINING PARTNERS	716,316	\$60.00
RF272-35881	Indalex Inc.	3,048,022	\$255.00
RF272-37546	DALLAS SWANSON	52,865	\$4.00
RF272-37686	VIVIAN A. BAIN	44,435	\$4.00
RF272-37687	DUANE BOLTON	43,480	\$4.00
RF272-38292	Marquette County Medical Care Facility	1,744,345	\$146.00
RF272-38858	LEFTY'S SOIL SERVICE	20,840	\$2.00
RF272-38866	EMMETT PETERSON	240,817	\$20.00
RF272-40727	Clarice C. Smith	59,596	\$5.00
RF272-40868	INGHAM COUNTY, MICHIGAN	864,838	\$72.00
RF272-43452	KENNETH D. MILIUS	24,927	\$2.00
RF272-44298	MARJORIE L. OXLEY	32,820	\$3.00
RF272-48672	LANCASTER COLONY CORP	8,935,194	\$748.00
RF272-49589	JEROME P. WEIDERT	48,460	\$4.00
RF272-52501	GAYLORD OTTUN	39,100	\$3.00
RF272-53099	LIVINGSTON SERVICE CO.	60,564	\$5.00
RF272-55285	Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	59,672	\$5.00
RF272-58056	K & C TRUCKING CORP.	1,955,061	\$164.00
RF272-58208	ROBERT W. DELSING	38,818	\$3.00
RF272-59177	CITY OF BONDURANT	52,740	\$4.00
RF272-60320	MARCELINE, INC.	356,208	\$30.00
RF272-62079	Seneca Foods Corporation	3,317,064	\$278.00
RF272-62711	FRANK C. KLEIN & CO. INC.	1,517,760	\$127.00
RF272-62991	Raytheon Company	8,711,000	\$730.00
RF272-63341	Leonard Bigbie	410,005	\$34.00
RF272-64517	Seneca Foods Corporation	1,562,890	\$131.00
RF272-65298	CITY OF HOLSTEIN	51,828	\$4.00
RF272-65432	COLLOIDS, INC.	6,420,805	\$538.00
RF272-65485	AMSTED INDUSTRIES, INC.	1,247,155	\$104.00
RF272-66927	108 APARTMENTS CORP.	59,883	\$5.00
RF272-67345	GEORGE G. HIEBNER	56,367	\$5.00
RF272-68166	STAFFORD TRUCKING CO.	1,816,909	\$152.00
RF272-68513	LEONARD G. HAYS	47,581	\$4.00
RF272-69521	KING RANCH, INC.	6,231,159	\$522.00
RF272-69533	SHIPPERS TERMINALS, INC.	1,132,622	\$95.00
RF272-70215	C. IRVIN HYATT	48,520	\$4.00
RF272-73296	ALLIANCE AGRONOMICS, INC.	1,480,000	\$124.00

RF272-73872	CLARK KLOOZ	61,267	\$5.00
RF272-74692	BILL CHARD TRUCKING, INC.	200,000	\$17.00
RF272-75515	INGERSOLL RAND	9,329,111	\$781.00
RF272-84461	WEEHAWKEN SCHOOL DIST.	1,088,412	\$91.00
RF272-90481	LEO BITTNER	223,772	\$19.00
RF272-90861	TRINITY PAVING CO.	635,048	\$53.00
RF272-90896	JACK E. MOLESWORTH	299,921	\$25.00
RF272-91576	HEARD & GILMER	367,192	\$31.00
RF272-92045	BLACK INDUSTRIES	463,659	\$39.00
RF272-94840	TRUK-AWAY OF R.I., INC.	204,811	\$17.00
RG272-00846	KR HOLDINGS, INC.	24,288,112	\$2,034.00
RG272-01131	Al Ingleright	2,142,292	\$179.00
RG272-01132	Sue Teague	2,142,292	\$179.00
RK272-00542	H. Wade Miller	5,066,122	\$424.00
RK272-01685	Seneca Foods Corporation	1,033,574	\$87.00
RK272-03152	EMBERS CHARCOAL CO., INC.	1,406,386	\$118.00
RK272-03223	ACORN ENTERPRISES, INC.	1,672,333	\$140.00
RK272-03328	WOODS RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT	16,962,648	\$1,421.00
RK272-03543	MAGNETEK, INC.	8,224,735	\$689.00
RK272-03586	GRAVES DRILLING CO., INC.	743,600	\$62.00
RK272-03710	Paul T. Ingleright	9,626,402	\$806.00
RK272-03936	CARLBOURT CONSTRUCTION CO.	527,553	\$44.00
RK272-03966	J.C. BANGERTER & SONS, INC.	1,648,331	\$138.00
RK272-03972	ROBERT W. LADEHOFF	1,323,051	\$111.00
RK272-04024	EXQUISITE FORM INDUSTRIES, INC	576,000	\$48.00
RK272-04074	WARD TRANSPORT, INC.	8,056,389	\$675.00
RK272-04167	KEYSTONE LAMP MFG. CORP.	1,381,665	\$116.00
RK272-04175	KEFFELER RANCH, INC.	1,195,192	\$100.00
RK272-04269	SERVICE AMERICA CORP.	61,275	\$5.00
RK272-04278	WHITE & BAGLEY LIQUID. TRUST	1,070,476	\$90.00
RK272-04386	CAGLE CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.	700,604	\$59.00
RK272-04418	JAMES W. KRIBELL	244,359	\$20.00
RK272-04425	STANDARD CONCRETE PRODUCTS INC	3,940,249	\$330.00
RK272-04835	LESLIE FAY MARKETING	964,775	\$81.00
RK272-04846	HIGHLAND SUPERSTORES	1,580,971	\$132.00
RK272-04900	FRANK E. MIXON	212,486	\$18.00
RK272-05166	EDGEWATER STEEL, LTD.	1,495,869	\$125.00
Totals	92 Applicants	168,728,710	\$14,131.00